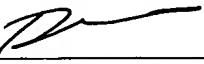


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UNDER 37 CFR §§1.97 AND 1.98

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97 and §1.98, Applicants would like to bring to the attention of the Examiner, the references cited in the following patent applications:

U.S. Serial No. 08/776,737, filed January 21, 1997;
U.S. Serial No. 07/988,919, filed April 5, 1993, now abandoned; and
U.S. Serial No. 08/473,697, filed June 7, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,948,384.

The subject application, Serial No. 10/015,162, claims the benefit under 35 USC §120 of the filing date of the patent applications referred to above. Applicants respectfully request that the copies of references supplied in the Information Disclosure Statement of the 08/776,737, 07/988,919, and 08/473,697 applications, as well as references cited during the prosecution thereof, be made of record in the 10/015,162 application. As copies of the references filed in the 08/776,737, 07/988,919, and 08/473,697 applications, and cited on the attached form PTO/SB/08, can be found

in the 08/776,737, 07/988,919, and 08/473,697 casefiles, copies of those references are not provided herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the 08/776,737, 07/988,919, and 08/473,697 applications be considered in the examination of the subject application and that their consideration be made of record.

Applicants have also listed on form PTO/SB/08 a reference (Haschke *et al.*, 1980) which has not been cited in the 08/776,737, 07/988,919, and 08/473,697 applications. A copy of the Haschke *et al.* reference is enclosed with this IDS. Applicants respectfully request that the reference be made of record and considered in the examination of the subject application.

Applicants respectfully assert that the substantive provisions of 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98 are met by the foregoing statements.

Respectfully submitted,



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